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Dear Sir:

Regarding PRM 73-12

The petition for rulemaking appears to deflect the responsibility for the protection of US industrial facilities from the purview of the United States of America to private entities. The petition does not address internal sabotage by a limited number of disgruntled employees or an occasional maladjusted individual, but rather by an attack by an organized group, purportedly of foreign origin, large in number, using weapons or devices appropriate to a military operation i.e. an enemy of the United States.

Current regulation limits the defense of licensed facilities as an exclusive prerogative of the Federal Government. In order for the Commission to consider the petition, it must first amend 10 CFR50.13 to concede the defense of licensed facilities against enemies of the USA, governments or persons, to private armies, assign the cost of such a defense to the rate payers outside the control and authority of Congress (since electric rates are the venue of the States), and abrogate any oversight on the actions taken by the licensee in response to this matter (since the NRC is an agency of the USA).

These actions should be as improbable and remote as is any serious consideration of the petition as filed.

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Attached for docketing is a comment letter on the above noted PRM from John D. McCann that I received via the Rulemaking website on 2/16/05.

Carol